

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:391

ANSWERED ON:15.12.2000

USE OF CEMENT

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Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have set up a high level task force to explore measures to maximise use of cement;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the terms and reference of the task force;
- (d) whether the Government have also a proposal for the utilisation of funds available under the Cement Regulation Act for creation of a technology fund to help the cement industry; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof alongwith its impact on market?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (DR. RAMAN SINGH)

(a),(b) & (c): No, Sir.

(d) & (e) : There is no such proposal under consideration of the Government.